

of the living Parisian Surgeons. By F. Campbell Stewart, M.D. Philadelphia, 1843. 8vo.—*From the Author.*

Memoir on the Radical Cure of Club-Foot. By H. Scoutetten, D.M.P. Translated from the French by F. Campbell Stewart, M.D. Philadelphia, 1840. 8vo.—*From the Translator.*

ADDITION TO THE LIBRARY BY PURCHASE.

Astronomische Nachrichten. Nos. 515 to 518, inclusive. 4to.

FOR THE CABINET.

Copy of a Persian Daric, now in the U. S. Mint.—*From George M. Justice.*

Dr. Dunglison presented No. 31, of the Proceedings, to December 20th, inclusive.

Dr. Hays presented his resignation of the office of Curator, to which he had been this day elected.

Stated Meeting, January 17.

Present, twenty-nine members.

Dr. BACHE, Vice-President, in the Chair.

Letters were received and read:—

From A. Dallas Bache, dated Washington, January 7th, 1845, acknowledging the receipt of notice of his election as Vice-President of the Society:—

From the Royal Academy of Sciences of Berlin, dated Berlin, 15th August, 1844, announcing a donation to the Library, and acknowledging the receipt of the Transactions of this Society:—

From the Batavian Society of Experimental Philosophers, dated Rotterdam, 25th October, 1844, announcing a donation to the Library:—

From Mrs. Anna Maria Thornton, dated Washington, 13th Nov. 1844, announcing a donation to the Library:—and,

From Dr. Robert M. Patterson, resigning the office of President of the Society, to which he had been elected.

The following donations were announced:—

FOR THE LIBRARY.

Abhandlungen der Königlichen Akademie der Wissenschaften zu Berlin. Aus dem Jahre, 1842. Berlin, 1844. 4to.—*From the Royal Academy of Sciences of Berlin.*

Bericht über die zur Bekanntmachung geeigneten Verhandlungen der Königl. Preuss. Akademie der Wissenschaften zu Berlin. July to December, 1843, inclusive. January to June, 1844, inclusive. 8vo.—*From the same.*

Annales des Mines. Quatrième Série. Tome V. 2e Livraison de 1844. 8vo.—*From the Engineers of Mines, Paris.*

Nieuwe Verhandelingen van het Bataafsch Genootschap der Proefondervindelijke Wijsbegeerte te Rotterdam. Negende Deel. Eerste Stuk. Rotterdam, 1844. 4to.—*From the Batavian Society of Experimental Philosophy.*

Plan en Grondwetten van het Bataafsch Genootschap der Proefondervindelijke Wijsbegeerte te Rotterdam. 1843. 4to.—*From the same.*

Siebenter Bericht über das Museum Francisco-Carolinum. Nebst der vierten Lieferung der Beiträge zur Landeskunde von Oesterreich ob der Enns und Selzburg. Linz, 1843. 8vo.—*From the Rev. W. R. Rally.*

Journal of the Franklin Institute of the State of Pennsylvania. Third Series. Vol. IX. No. 17. January, 1845. 8vo.—*From Dr. R. M. Patterson.*

The American Journal of the Medical Sciences. Edited by Isaac Hays, M.D. New Series. Vol. IX. No. 17. January, 1845. 8vo.—*From the Editor.*

Recherches sur les Volcans éteints du Vivarais et du Velay; avec un Discours sur les Volcans brûlans, des Mémoires Analytiques sur les Schorls, la Zéolite, le Basalte, la Pouzzolane, les Laves et les différentes substances qui s'y trouvent engagées, etc. Par M. Faujas de Saint-Fond. Grenoble et Paris, 1778. Folio.—*From Mrs. Anna Maria Thornton.*

Annual Report of the Board of Canal Commissioners, for the Fiscal Year, ending November 30, 1844. 8vo.—*From C. B. Trego, Esq.*

Report of the State Treasurer, upon the Finances of Pennsylvania, to the Legislature of the State, at the Commencement of the Session of 1845.—*From the same.*

Report of the President and Managers of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, to the Stockholders. January 6, 1845. 8vo.—*From S. W. Roberts, Esq.*

Report to the Board of Managers of the Schuylkill Navigation Company, on the Improvement of the Schuylkill Navigation. By Solomon W. Roberts, Civil Engineer. Philadelphia, January 2, 1845. 8vo.—*From the Author.*

Mirror for Dyspeptics; from the Diary of a Landlord. By J. M. Sanderson, Franklin House. Philadelphia, 1844.—*From the Author.*

ADDITIONS TO THE LIBRARY BY PURCHASE.

Comptes Rendus hebdomadaires des Séances de l'Académie des Sciences. Tome XIX. Nos. 14 to 17, inclusive. 4to.

Tables des Comptes Rendus. Tome XVIII.

Dr. Chapman offered his resignation of the office of Vice-President of the Society.

Dr. Chapman announced the death of Granville Penn, Esq., a member of this Society, upon 28th September, 1844.

Mr. Job R. Tyson was appointed to prepare an obituary notice of Mr. Penn.

Major James D. Graham read a continuation of a paper, entitled "Some Observations made upon the Dip of the Magnetic Needle, at a number of Stations between the City of Washington and the extreme North-east and North Frontiers of Maine, in 1841, 1843, and 1844:" which was referred to a Committee, consisting of Prof. Frazer, Prof. Bache, Prof. Kendall.

Prof. S. S. Haldeman read a paper, upon the History of the Coleoptera Longicornia of the United States, which was referred to a Committee, consisting of Mr. T. R. Peale, Mr. Lea, and Mr. Ord.

Mr. George Ord was reëlected Librarian.

The following standing Committees were appointed for the year:—

Of Finance.—Mr. C. C. Biddle, Mr. Lea, Dr. Patterson.

Of Publication.—Mr. Lea, Dr. Hays, Mr. J. Francis Fisher.

On the Hall.—Mr. Campbell, Mr. Fraley, Mr. Kane.

On the Library.—Dr. Hays, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Pennington.

The resignations of Dr. Patterson, as President, Dr. Chapman, as Vice-President, and Dr. Hays, as Curator, were accepted by the Society.

The following gentlemen were elected Members of the Society:—

CHARLES FREDERICK BECK, M.D. of Philadelphia.

RICHARD OWEN, F. R. S., of London.

SIR JAMES CLARK, BART. M.D. of London.

PRINCE MAXIMILIEN, of Wied.

JAMES COPLAND, M.D. of London.

MAJOR WILLIAM TELL POUSSIN, of Paris.

PROFESSOR J. A. ALEXANDER, of Princeton.

FREDERICK VON RAUMER, of Berlin.

Stated Meeting, February 7.

Present, forty-six members.

Dr. BACHE, Vice-President, in the Chair.

Dr. Charles Frederick Beck, a newly elected member, appeared and took his seat.

Letters were received and read:—

From Dr. Charles Frederick Beck, dated January 24, 1845, and from Professor Joseph A. Alexander, Princeton, dated January 25, 1845, respectively acknowledging the receipt of notice of their election as members:—

From the Linnæan Society of London, dated London, 8th November, 1844:—From the Statistical Society of London, dated London, 1st August, 1844:—From the Zoological Society of London, dated London, 7th November, 1844:—From the Connecticut Historical Society, dated Hartford, 20th January, 1845:—From the New York Historical Society, dated New York, 10th December, 1844:—From the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia, dated Philadelphia, 21st January, 1845, announcing the receipt of the Proceedings and Transactions of this Society:—